

# County of Los Angeles CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors

County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 West Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

APPOINTMENT AND SALARY FOR COUNTY COUNSEL (ALL SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS) (3 VOTES)

## **SUBJECT**

This letter recommends the appointment of Andrea Sheridan Ordin to serve as County Counsel for the County of Los Angeles, and recommends an annual salary.

#### IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

Approve the appointment of Andrea Sheridan Ordin to the position of County Counsel at an annual salary of \$295,000, effective February 1, 2010, and instruct the Acting Director of Personnel to execute an at-will employment contract which is approved as to form by County Counsel.

#### PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The purpose of the recommended action is to appoint a County Counsel for the County of Los Angeles and to set a salary for the position.

Board of Supervisors GLORIA MOLINA First District

MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS Second District

ZEV YAROSLAVSKY Third District

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MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH Fifth District

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# Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

This appointment is in conformance with the County of Los Angeles Strategic Plan's Operational Effectiveness (Goal 1) to maximize the effectiveness of processes, structure and operations to support timely delivery of customer-oriented and efficient public services.

## FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The recommended salary will be paid from existing funds in the Office of the County Counsel's budget and is consistent with salaries for County department heads with a similar level of duties.

# FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The recommended salary will provide appropriate compensation to Ms. Ordin to perform the duties of the County Counsel, County of Los Angeles.

# **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES**

Implementation of this recommendation will provide leadership for the Office of the County Counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T FUJIOKA
Chief Executive Officer

c: Acting County Counsel
Acting Director of Personnel
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
Auditor-Controller